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Docket No. 00862.021923  
Date: October 28, 2004

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of: KATSUTOSHI USHIDA

Application No.: 09/588,683

For: COMMUNICATION APPARATUS, COMMUNICATION METHOD, COMMUNICATION  
SYSTEM, AND STORAGE MEDIUM

Filed: June 7, 2000

Group Art Unit: 2143

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the  
decision dated April 28, 2004 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1 to 100.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate.

1. ☒ A Petition for a two month extension of time to respond to the final rejection, together with the \$420.00 extension fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, was filed on September 13, 2004.
2. ☒ A Petition for an additional one month extension of time to take further action, together with the \$560.00 extension fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, is filed herewith.

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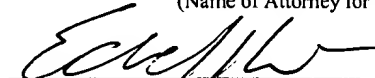
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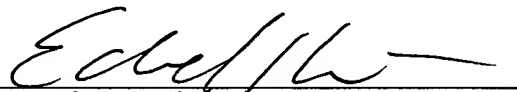
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3. ☒ Fee \$340.00
- ☐ Fee \$170.00 (Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.)
- ☒ Enclosed
- ☐ Not required (fee paid in prior appeal)
- ☐ Charge to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 (One additional copy of this Notice enclosed herewith)
4. ☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 or 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.
5. ☒ Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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